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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
Appl. No.08/349,177; Filed: December 2, 1994  
For: **HLA-A2.1 Binding Peptides and Their Uses**  
Inventors: GREY *et al.*  
Our Ref: 2060.0290004/EKS/J-H

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Respectfully submitted,

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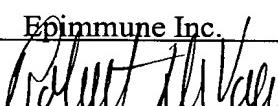
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